HON'BLE SRI G.S. SINGHVI, THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

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WRIT PETITION No. 11731 OF 2006

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Between:

P.S.R.K. Thimmaji Rao and three others

……Petitioners

And

Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Rep. by its Principal Secretary,
Panchayat Raj Department,
Secretariat, Hyderabad and three others

……Respondents

:: ORDER ::

Counsel for the Petitioners : Sri N.V. Anantha Krishna

Counsel for Respondent No.1 : Government Pleader for Panchayat Raj

Counsel for Respondent No.2 : Government Pleader for Municipal Administration

Counsel for Respondent Nos.3 and 4 : None

Dated: 15-06-2006

Per G.S. SINGHVI, CJ

This is a petition for issue of a mandamus to the respondents to merge Ramanayyapeta, Vakalapudi, Thimmapuram, Sarpavaram, Ganganapalli, Indrapalem, Chidiga, Kovvada, Turangi, Penuguduru, Thammavaam and Nemam Villages in the area of Municipal Corporation of Kakinada by de-notifying the Gram Panchayats well before finalization of the voters list. Another prayer made in the writ petition is to direct the respondents not to issue election notification in respect of those 12 Villages.

We have heard learned counsel for the petitioner. He fairly states that the issues raised in this petition are identical to those raised in Writ Petition No.11489 of 2006 **(Ketha Venkata Lakshmi v. Government of Andhra Pradesh)**, which has been dismissed by a separate detailed order.

In view of the above, this petition is dismissed with the observation that the detailed reasons recorded in order passed today in Writ Petition No.11489 of 2006 shall be read as part of this order.

G.S.SINGHVI, CJ

15-6-2006

G.V. SEETHAPATHY, J

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